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UPTACK HILL GREENHOUSE

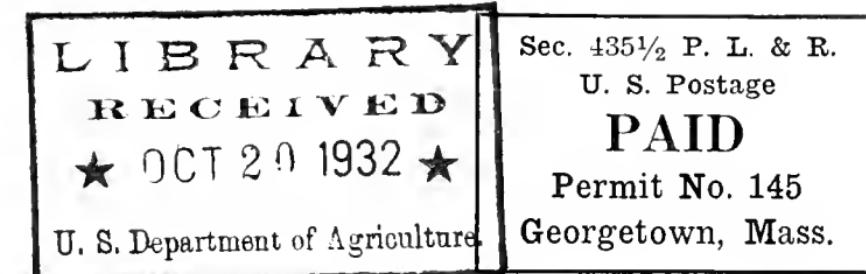
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Darwin, Cottage and Breeder Tulips

WE OFFER the following varieties of Breeder, Cottage and Darwin Tulip bulbs (B) (C) (D), and recommend them for planting in beds as well as in groups in the herbaceous border and among shrubs. They usually begin to flower during the middle part of May, the blooms remaining in condition a very long time. To succeed with bulbs it is necessary to begin right, by getting sound bulbs of good size, and we warn intending purchasers against buying cheap, undersized bulbs and expect the fine results obtained from such as we offer. The flowers from our quality bulbs, the best that Holland produces and imported directly by us, are extremely large and borne on tall, strong stems.

The bulbs should be planted not less than five inches apart, and from five to six inches deep (to the bottom of the bulb) in well drained soil before the ground freezes. After the ground is frozen hard, a covering of leaves or straw will prevent the injury of the roots from frequent freezing and thawing. This should be removed in the spring as soon as heavy frost is past.

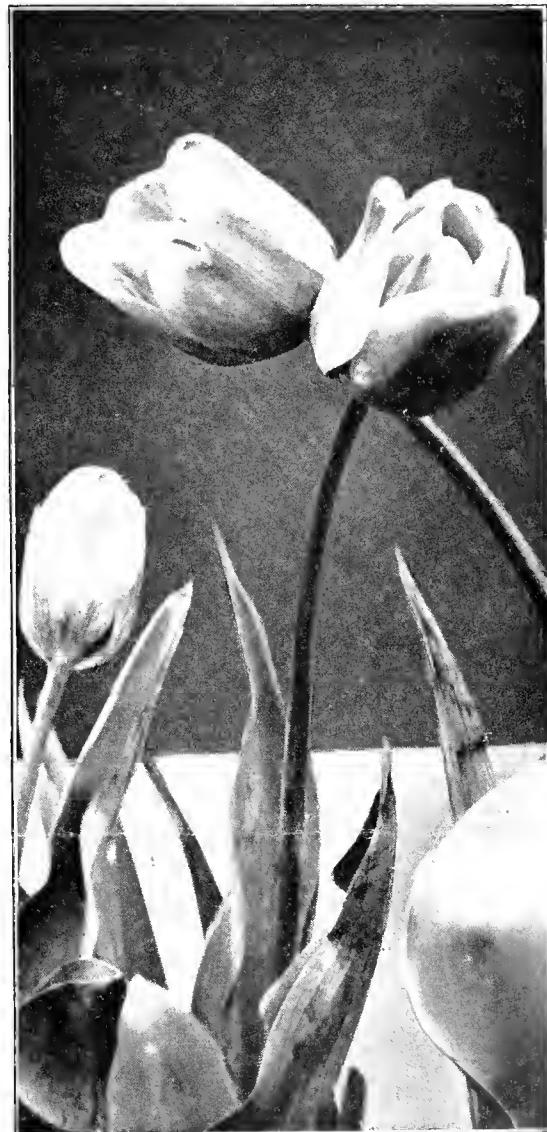
We suggest ordering early while our stock is complete, and then to plant the bulbs as soon as received. Twenty-five bulbs of any one variety furnished at the hundred rate.

	Doz. 100
BARON DE LA TONNAYE (D). Large bright pink flower, tinged with salmon with small white center.....	.50 \$4.00
BRONZE QUEEN (B). Soft golden bronze, very distinct and exquisitely shaped.....	.60 4.25
CARDINAL MANNING (B). Rosy violet, with a slight edge of bronze with yellow base.....	.65 4.75
CLARA BUTT (D). Exquisite clear salmon pink. A most pleasing color. One of the best varieties....	.50 3.50
EDMEE (D). Brilliant cherry rose, edged with soft rose.....	.65 4.75
FARNCOMBE SANDERS (D). Bright shade of fiery rose scarlet with a clear white base.....	.50 4.00
INGLES COMBE YELLOW (C). Rich yellow, a perfectly formed, beautiful flower.....	.50 4.00
JOHN RUSKIN (C). A beautiful dull apricot rose, edged soft lemon yellow.....	.65 4.75
KING HAROLD (D). Deep ox-blood red with satiny sheen. Purplish black base. Excellent for cemetery planting.....	.60 4.00

	Doz. 100
LA TULIPE NOIRE (D). Deep maroon black which has a velvety sheen in the sunlight.....	.65 4.75
MOONLIGHT (C). Clear canary yellow, large oval shaped flower.....	.65 4.75
MRS. MOON (C). Deep golden yellow lily-like flower slightly reflexing.....	.65 4.75
MRS. POTTER PALMER (D). Bright royal purple with white base. Very striking.....	.65 4.75
OLD TIMES (B). Dull garnet edged primrose yellow with bronze interior. A rather long flower.....	.65 4.75
PICOTEE (C). Opens ivory-white becoming suffused with pink as flower matures. Pointed petals reflexed at tips.....	.50 4.00
PRIDE OF HAARLEM (D). Brilliant deep rose, shaded scarlet, with light blue base.....	.50 4.00
REV. EWBANK (D). An exquisite shade of soft lavender-violet, slightly shaded silver gray.....	.50 4.00
ST. JAMES (B). Dark lilac, edged bronzy tan, with coppery rose flush at tips of petals.....	.65 4.75
MIXTURES (B) (C) (D). Made up of above varieties only.....	.55 4.25



Cottage Tulips



Darwin Tulips

Early Tulips

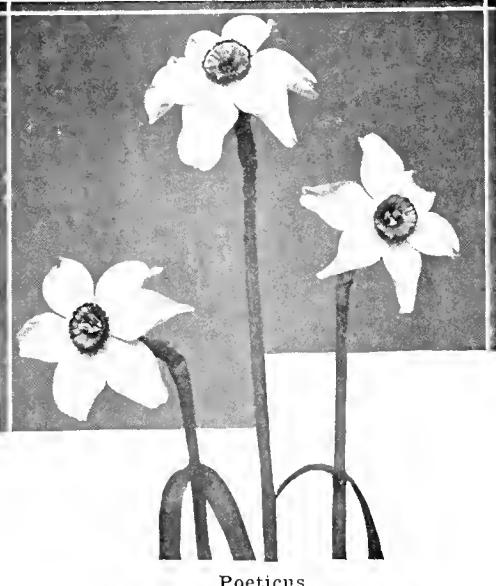
WE OFFER the following varieties of Early Tulips, blooming early in May. Also excellent for blooming indoors during the winter. All bulbs must be planted early this fall for indoor flowering.

	Doz. 100
COURONNE D'OR (Double). Bright golden yellow shaded copper.....	.65 \$4.75
KEIZERKROOM (Single). Bright crimson scarlet with a clear yellow edge.....	.75 6.00
MURILLO (Double). Delicate rose pink, flushed white.....	.65 4.75
PRINCE OF AUSTRIA (Single). Brilliant scarlet orange, with yellow base.....	.65 4.75
YELLOW PRINCE (Single). Clear golden yellow with slightly reddish markings on outer petals....	.65 4.75

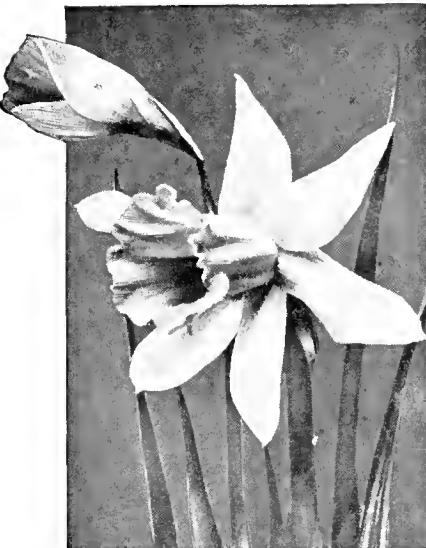
	Doz. 100
TULIP SPECIES CLUSI-	
ANA. Narrow white flower striped cherry red. Flower about one inch long. Excellent for rock garden.....	.65 \$5.00
HYACINTH BULBS. Second size named varieties in rose pink, yellow, blue, white... 1.00	8.00
CROCUS BULBS. Large size in purple, yellow, striped, in named varieties.....	.40 3.25

Narcissus (Daffodils)

WE OFFER the following varieties of hardy Narcissus, commonly called Daffodils or Jonquils. All lend themselves admirably to naturalizing, and if planted where they can be left undisturbed will multiply and increase in loveliness for years to come. Our bulbs are of the very best double nosed quality and are grown for us in Long Island.



	Doz.	100
EMPEROR (Giant Trumpet). Trumpet rich yellow with slightly lighter perianth.....	\$1.50	\$12.00
GOLDEN SPUR (Large Trumpet). Golden yellow extra early variety of medium size.....	1.50	12.00
SIR WATKINS (Medium Trumpet). Large flower of bright primrose with rich golden yellow cup.....	1.25	10.00
VON SION (Old-fashioned Double Daffodil) (Double Trumpet). Large double golden yellow.....	1.50	12.00
LAURENS KOSTER . Pure white with soft yellow eye. Four to five flowers on a stem.....	1.00	7.50
POETICUS (Pheasant's Eye Narcissus). Pure white with orange cup. The old variety excellent for naturalizing	1.00	7.50



Golden Spur



You Are Cordially Invited
To Visit Our Greenhouse
During the
Chrysanthemum Blooming Season
November First to Thanksgiving Day



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Uptack Road

South Groveland, Mass.

To Our Friends and Customers

For several years The Whitcomb Greenhouse, 40 Westland Terrace, Haverhill, Mass., owned by Myron L. Whitcomb, has been managed by Ralph O. Spofford who has now leased the greenhouse and taken over the business.

The business will be conducted as in the past, growing flowers at The Whitcomb Greenhouse, and annuals and plants for the Memorial Day trade at the Uptack Hill Greenhouse.

Your patronage for Choice Plants, Flowering Bulbs, Funeral Designs, Old-fashioned Colonial Bouquets and flowers for every occasion will be greatly appreciated.

